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AT the Council-Chamber, *Whitehall*, the 4th of *November*, 1746.

PRESENT,

The Lords of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council.

This Day the Right Honourable Philip Earl of Chesterfield, was, by His Majesty's Command, sworn one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Stockholm, October 24. The Marquis del Puerto, the Spanish Minister Plenipotentiary here, having taken his Audience of Leave on Saturday last, he set out from hence two Days ago on his Journey to the Hague; his Son, the young Marquis, is gone with him as far as Copenhagen, where he is to reside as his Catholick Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary.

Hague, Nov. 15, *N. S.* The Pensionary set out this Afternoon for Breda, and proposes to be back again by the next Assembly of Holland, which it is thought will be To-morrow Sen'night. There are Letters from the Porte of the 8th past, which in a good Measure confirm the Report of a Peace being concluded between the Turks and Persians. A Bashaw is said to have brought the News of this Peace, and that the most material Conditions of it were, That the Frontiers of the two Empires should remain as heretofore, and that the Persian Pilgrims should have free Access to, and Recess from Mecca, without depending upon the Officers or Magistrates of the Porte. By Advices from Paris, another Ship belonging to the Duke d'Anville's Squadron was got into Brest, but without bringing any fresh Accounts of that Admiral. Other Advices from Paris say, that the Castle of Ventimiglia surrender'd the 23d, and that the Garrison were made Prisoners of War; and that the Court had receiv'd Advice, that the Castle of Tortona was upon the Point of capitulating. Marshal Bathiani is expected to make this Place a Visit, the Empress having consented to the Republick's Desire of his remaining in the Netherlands during this Winter.

Whitehall, November 7, 1746.

Whereas on Saturday the 25th of October, about Seven o'Clock at Night, a Fire broke out at a Farm belonging to Edward Clark, Esq; at Milton, in the County of Wilts, which entirely consumed a Barn, Stables, with all the Horses, and several Ricks of Wheat, Oats, and Barley: And whereas a Fire broke out at the same Place on the Thursday Morning following, which entirely consumed another Barn, Stables, and Appurtenances, together with several Ricks of Corn, and all the remaining Stock of the said Farm: And whereas there is great Reason to believe that the said Houses, &c. were maliciously set on Fire; His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons concerned in the said Crime, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them who shall discover his, her, or their Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; as also a Reward of Fifty Pounds to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid on the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

[Price Two-pence.]

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of his Majeſty's Ships Medway and Dolphin, who were on board at the Time of the taking of the Mehemetcha, French Manilla Ship in the Eaſt Indies, that they may receive their reſpective Shares of a Dividend of 30,000 *l. in Part of the Produce of the ſaid Ship and her Cargo, at the Sign of the King's Arms on Great Tower Hill, on Saturday the* 15*th of this Inſtant November; and the Shares of ſuch as are not then demanded, may be received at the ſame Place the firſt Saturday in every Month for three Years to come.*

This is to give Notice to the Officers and Company of his Majeſty's Sloop Otter, who were on board at the taking the Suſanna, bound from Dantzick to Breſt, that the Prize Money due for the ſaid Sloop will be paid on board on Monday the 1*ſt of December next; and ſuch of the Shares as then remain unpaid, may be received the ſecond Tueſday in every Month, at Mr. Robert Darling's, Goldſmith in Fenchurch-ſtreet, for three Years to come.*

The Governors of the Charity for the Relief of Poor Widows and Children of Clergymen do hereby give Notice, That their General Annual Court, appointed by their Charter, will be held on Thurſday the 13*th of this Inſtant, at the Chapter Houſe in St. Paul's Church Yard, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, for the Choice of Officers for the Year enſuing.*

Sic. Comyn, Regiſter.

Advertiſements.

In the Preſs, and in a ſhort Time will be Publiſhed,

A DEFENCE of the Peculiar Inſtitutions and Doctrines of CHRISTIANITY. In Anſwer to a late Pamphlet, entitled, DEISM fairly Stated and fully Vindicated from the groſs Imputations and groundleſs Calumnies of modern Believers.

TO be ſold peremptorily, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Richard Edwards, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-lane, on Thurſday the 27th Day of November Inſtant, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, The Farm or Scite of the Manor of Stower Provoſt, in the County of Dorſet, late the Eſtate of Mr. John Dowding, Gent. deceaſed. Particulars thereof to be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, on Monday the 8th Day of December next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-lane, London, A Capital Meſſuage called Parkes, with the Appurtenances thereto belonging, and alſo ſeveral Pieces, Cloſes, and Parcels of Land, with their Appurtenances, in Great Saleing, Felſtead, and Rayne, in the County of Eſſex, late the Eſtate of Nathaniel Porter, of London, Gentleman, deceaſed. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree and a ſubſequent Order of the High Court of Chanecry, entire or in Parcels, on Friday the 21ſt Day of November Inſtant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-lane, London, A Leaſehold Eſtate of Thomas Engeir, Eſq; ſituate in the Maze in Southwark, in the County of Surry, conſiſting of a Brewhouſe for the Vinegar Trade, with the Storehouſes, Outhouſes, and Yards thereto belonging, and ſeveral other Meſſuages or Tenements, with the Appurtenances, in the whole of the yearly Value of 267 l. 15 s. ſubject to a Ground Rent of 21 l. per Annum. Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-Lane, London, Several Meſſuages, Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments, ſituate at Norwood Barningham, in the County of Norfolk, of the yearly Value of 446 l. and upwards, together with the Manor of Norwood Barningham, and the perpetual Advowſon of the Rectory of Norwood Barningham, Part of the real Eſtate late of Sir Richard Palgrave, Bart. deceaſed. Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Nathaniel Porter, of London, Gent. deceaſed, who was the only Son and Heir of James Porter, of Newington, in the Pariſh of Iſlington, in the County of Middleſex, Gent. are on or before the 8th Day of December next, peremptorily to come in and prove their Debts, and claim their Legacies remaining unſatisfied (if any ſuch there be) before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery-lane, London, otherwiſe they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Elizabeth Hartnoll, late of Tiverton, in the County of Devon, Spinſter, deceaſed, are, on or before the 10th Day of December next, to come before Francis Eld, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery Lane, London, and prove their ſeveral Demands, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Clarke, late of London, Merchant, but heretofore of Oporto in the Kingdom of Portugal, Merchant, are, on or before the firſt Day of next Hillary Term, to come before William Kinaſton, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, and prove their ſeveral Demands, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of John Floyd, late of Bloxcidge, in the County of Stafford, Yeoman, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their reſpective Debts before Edmund Sawyer, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the 18th Day of December next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

THE Creditors of Robinſon Knight and William Hanſon, of London, Bankers and Partners, Bankrupts, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupts Eſtate and Effects, at the Crown Tavern in Threadneedle Street, London, on Wedneſday next the 12th Inſtant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on ſpecial Affairs.

ALL Perſons indebted to William Gardener, deceaſed, late one of the Serjeants at Mace to the Sheriffs of London, are deſired forthwith to pay their reſpective Debts to the Adminiſtratrix of the ſaid William Gardener, or to Mr. James Thompſon, of St. Saviour's Church-yard in Southwark, he being duly authorized to receive the ſame, and to no other Perſon, otherwiſe they will be ſued.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Griffith, late of the Pariſh of St. Martin in the Fields, in the County of Middleſex, Dealer in Wine, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 13th and 20th Inſtant, and on the 20th of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe

chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Smart, Attorney, in Gray's Inn, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Settle, of Shelf, in the Pariſh of Halifax, in the County of York, Cordwainer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 13th and 27th of November Inſtant, and on the 20th of December next, at Ten in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the Houſe of Joſhua Drake, being the Sign of the King's Head in Bradford, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Liſter, Attorney, in Maningham, in the County of York.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Carew, of Little Waldingfield, in the County of Suffolk, Clothier, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 12th and 13th of November Inſtant, at the Houſe of Edward Collett, being the Sign of the Buſhel in Bury St. Edmund's, in the ſaid County of Suffolk, and on the 20th of December next, at the Houſe of Thomas Paulſon, being the King's Head in Favenham, in the ſaid County of Suffolk, by Ten in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the ſecond Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Iſaac Nevill, jun. Attorney, at Favenham aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Arthur Towill, of Taunton St. Mary Magdalene, in the County of Somerſet, Silverſmith and Jeweller, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 24th of November Inſtant, and on the 15th and 20th of December next, at Ten in the Forenoon on each of the ſaid Days, at the Caſtle Tavern in Taunton, in the County of Somerſet, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. James Kirkpatrick, or to Mr. John Treble, Attorneys, in Taunton, in the County of Somerſet.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt John Howes, of the Pariſh of St. Mary le Strand, in the County of Middleſex, Haberdaſher of Small Wares, intend to meet on the 20th Day of December next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Fewſter, of Birmingham, in the County of Warwick, Chapman and Dealer, intend to meet on the 3d Day of December next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Owen Owens, late of the Pariſh of St. Clement Danes, in the County of Middleſex, Hoſier and Chapman, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid Owen Owens hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts; This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 29th of November Inſtant.

WHereas the acting Comiſſioners in the Commmiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt John Lambert Middleton, of Gold Square, London, Cornfactor, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid John Lambert Middleton hath in all Things conformed himſelf according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, That by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the Fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, his Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 29th of November inſtant.

WHereas the acting Commiſſioners in the Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Richard Green and Norton Amber, of the Strand, in the County of Middleſex, Goldſmiths and Bankers and Partners, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the ſaid Richard Green and Norton Amber have in all Things conformed themſelves according to the Directions of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act paſſed in the fifth Year of his preſent Majeſty's Reign, their Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the ſaid Act directs, unleſs Cauſe be ſhewn to the contrary on or before the 29th of November Inſtant.

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